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Amend the Irish Bankruptcy and Insolvency Act (1857).

Preamble. 20 & 21 Vict. c. 60. s. 294.

WHEREAS by the Irish Bankrupt and Insolvent Act, 1857, unclaimed Dividends made before the passing of the said Act are exempted from the Operation of its Two hundred and ninety-fourth Section, but no Provision is thereby made for the Disposal of such unclaimed Dividends, and it is expedient to amend the said Act by supplying the said Omission: Be it enacted by the Queen's most Excellent Majesty, by and with the Advice and Consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal, and Commons, in the present Parliament assembled, and by the Authority of the same, as follows:

Application of unclaimed Dividends declared before passing of 20 & 21 Vict. c. 60. 6 W. 4. c. 14. s. 128.

I. The Court may order that Dividends which had been declared before the passing of the said Irish Bankrupt and Insolvent Act, 1857, and which have remained unclaimed for the Space of *Three* Years from the Declaration thereof, shall be divided and paid amongst the other Creditors, in manner provided by the Sixth of William the Fourth, Chapter Fourteen, Section One hundred and twenty-eight.

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Acts to be construed as One Act.

II. The said recited Act and this Act shall be treated and construed as One Act.

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Bankruptcy and Insolvency (Ireland) Act Amendment.

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To amend the Irish Bankruptcy and Insolvency Act (1857).

(*Prepared and brought in by Mr Attorney General for Ireland and Mr Solicitor General for Ireland.*)

Ordered, by The House of Commons, *to be Printed,* 16 *July* 1859.

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